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# MULTI-PROTOCOL PACKET TRANSLATOR

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In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the undersigned Paul C. Dorsey, Kevin M. Frazier, and Peter DeCarolis, hereby

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